

**Behaviour Policy amendment in response to Covid-19
(3rd September – 18th December)**

Based on Department for Education guidance regarding the reopening of schools in September 2020, there are some additions to the current behaviour Policy.

Please see our Behaviour Policy for full explanations of expectations and sanctions.

In addition to the current policy, the following points are expected to be adhered to by all students.

If students display any of the behaviours below it will be deemed as a Red Card behaviour. Students will be immediately sent to the Removal Room and behaviour points will be issued on ClassCharts. Behaviour points will be monitored daily. An accumulation of behaviour points will result in tutor, Head of Year and SLT intervention.

- Deliberately not following social distancing guidance in school
- Accessing out of bounds areas, including those areas of school that will be temporarily prohibited
- Spitting
- Deliberately coughing in the direction of other students and staff
- Any inappropriate and insensitive comments or behaviours linked to the Covid-19 pandemic
- Not following any rules regarding hygiene practice, sharing of equipment and social interactions in school
- Not following designated routes around the school

Parents will be notified of any breach of the above points. A parental meeting may be requested by the Head of Year or a member of the Senior Leadership Team.

Student behaviour should be excellent when on school site. All other behaviours, such as disruption to learning will be sanctioned in accordance with the school policy. ***The only minor alteration to the policy is the 2-point sanctions (lunch time detention.) Due to the current climate and forced changes to the timings of the school day, 2-point sanctions will be replaced with a phone call to parents.*** Students will still be issued with 2 behaviour points.

*As of Monday 9th November, the Department for Education have made face coverings mandatory in school communal areas. As a result, students must arrive each day with a face covering. Failure to do so will result in a 1-point sanction. Sanctions will be escalated for repeated failure to bring a face covering.